

Lithuania, Malta & Upper Silesia

Magnus Werner (#1308) has come up with several additions and corrections to the *World Perfin Catalog*. He says the K.A. pattern (Memel A1) is also known on the stamps of Lithuania with a postmark of Silute. Werner's copy is on a Scott 246. He also reports that he has a copy of the UBC/L perfin on Lithuania Scott 53 postmarked Kaunas on September 23, 1921. This doubles the number of UBC/L perfins on the stamps of Lithuania. The first such pattern was reported in the January 1999 *Bulletin*. The UBC/L perfin is not scarce on the stamps of Danzig, Poland, and Latvia, but it was previously unreported on Lithuania.

He's also found a GB/&C pattern on a King Edward VIII of Malta postmarked Valletta, November 1905.

And finally he says the illustration for pat-



tern A11 of Upper Silesia isn't correct. The pattern shown is that of Oberschlesische Koks-Werke and is found on the stamps of Germany used in Hindenberg and Gleiwitz, part of Germany after the Plebiscite. The correct pattern for Upper Silesia is shown here. The period following the O is closer.